गुजरात में सहकारी संगठन

7137. **श्री कनक सिंह मोहन सिंह मंगरौला**: क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) इस समय गुजरात में कृषि क्षेत्र में कितने सहकारी संगठन कार्यरत हैं ;

(ख) पिछली तीन पंचवर्षीय योजनाओं के दौरान सरकार द्वारा इन सहकारी संगठनों को आवंटित निधियों का योजनावार ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) उनकी उपलब्धियों का ब्यौरा क्या है ?

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(ख) और (ग) पिछली तीन पंचवर्षीय योजनाओं के दौरान आवंटित धनराशियों एवं प्राप्त उपलब्धियों के योजनावार ब्यौरे को दर्शानेवाला अनुपत्र में दिया गया है । (**देखिए परिशिष्ट सं० 170 अनुपत्र सं. 144**)

Banning of Cow Slaughter

7138. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have proposed a National legislation to ban cow slaughter in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government are aware of the fact that thousands of cows are smuggled from India every day and slaughtered; and

(d) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto and what effective measures Government propose to take to put a complete ban on cow slaughter in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) and (b) No Sir. The ban on cow slaughter falls within the State list, the State Governments have exclusive power to legislate.

(c) No such case of large scale smuggling of cows from India has come to the notice of Central Government.

(d) The Central Government have been impressing upon the concerned State Governments, who have passed legislation on the ban on cow slaughter to enorce the legislation in true spirit without allowing anyone to circumvent it.

Ligting of export restrictions From Major Course Cereals

7139. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a proposal to lift export restrictions from some of the major coarse cereals;

(b) if so, the details of the coarse cereals and the reasons for removing export restrictions on these items;

(c) what has been due production of coarse cereals, State-wise during each of the last three years;

(d) what steps are proposed to be taken to ensure that lifting of the export restrictions do no push up the market prices of these cereals in the country; and

(c) whether Government propose to revise the strategy of annual targets for food production and if so, the details in this reard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) to (d) It is contemplated to review the proceedures for export of coarse rains so that reasonabe quantities can be exported during comfortable

supply position. The details showing the statewise production of coarse cereals during the last 3 years are given in the enclosed statement. (See below).

(c) The annual targets of foodgrains and other crops are fixxed by the Planning Commission in consultation with the Ministry of Agriculture.

Statement

State-wise estimate of production of Coarse Cereals during the last 3 years i.e. **1991-92, 1992-93** *and* **1993-94**

(Production in 000 tonnes)

S.No.	State	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94 (likely)
1	Andhra Pradesh	1657	1981	1955
2	Assam	18	18	19
3	Bihar	1441	1423	1494
4	Gujarat	1404	2572	1306
5	Haryana	509	969	511
6	Himachal Pradesh	628	692	676
7	Jammu & Kashmir	527	527	621
8	Karnataka	4293	4842	4452
9	Kerala	6	5	4
10	Madhya Ptadesh	2329	3336	3241
11	Maharashtra	4707	9083	8022
12	Orissa	424	417	529
13	Punjab	505	561	480
14	Rajasthan	2467	4612	2353
15	Tamil Nadu	1318	1438	1530
16	Uttar Pradesh	3359	4178	3488
17	West Bengal	170	158	147
18	Others	229	228	229
	ALL INDIA:	25991	37040	31057

Death of Race Horses of Delhi Race Club

7140. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of highly-priced race horses of the Delhi Race Club have died and taken ill on account of the recklessness of Sydes and the management of the Club;

(b) if so, what are the facts in this regard, what is the number of horses died and fallen ill and what were the reasons therefor;